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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated September 16, 2009, finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 5-16, 19-29.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 3 month(s) to and including March 16, 2010 is enclosed.

The required appeal fee of \$270 is being paid concurrently on the electronic filing system by way of deposit account authorization. Please apply any credits or charges to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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